

**Introduced by Senator Figueroa**February 22, 2002

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An act to amend Sections 7000.5 and 7011 of the Business and Professions Code, relating to contractors.

## LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 1953, as introduced, Figueroa. Contractors.

Existing law, the Contractors' State License Law, creates the Contractors' State License Board within the Department of Consumer Affairs. Existing law authorizes the board to appoint a registrar of contractors who is responsible for all of the board's administrative duties. Under existing law, these provisions will become inoperative on July 1, 2003, and will be repealed on January 1, 2004.

This bill would extend these provisions to an unspecified date.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes. State-mandated local program: no.

*The people of the State of California do enact as follows:*

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 7000.5 of the Business and Professions  
2 Code is amended to read:  
3 7000.5. (a) There is in the Department of Consumer Affairs  
4 a Contractors' State License Board, which consists of 15 members.  
5 (b) The repeal of this section renders the board subject to the  
6 review required by Division 1.2 (commencing with Section 473).  
7 However, the review of this board by the department shall be  
8 limited to only those unresolved issues identified by the Joint  
9 Legislative Sunset Review Committee.



1 (c) This section shall become inoperative on July 1, 2003 \_\_\_\_\_,  
2 and, as of January 1, 2004 \_\_\_\_\_, is repealed, unless a later enacted  
3 statute, which becomes effective on or before January 1, 2004  
4 \_\_\_\_\_, deletes or extends the dates on which it becomes inoperative  
5 and is repealed.

6 SEC. 2. Section 7011 of the Business and Professions Code is  
7 amended to read:

8 7011. The board by and with the approval of the director shall  
9 appoint a registrar of contractors and fix his or her compensation.

10 The registrar shall be the executive officer and secretary of the  
11 board and shall carry out all of the administrative duties as  
12 provided in this chapter and as delegated to him or her by the  
13 board.

14 For the purpose of administration of this chapter, there may be  
15 appointed a deputy registrar, a chief reviewing and hearing officer  
16 and, subject to Section 159.5, other assistants and subordinates as  
17 may be necessary.

18 Appointments shall be made in accordance with the provisions  
19 of civil service laws.

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